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AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Replace the paragraph beginning on Page 3, Line 12 with the following new paragraph:

As shown in Fig. 3, the bracket 8 is attached to an end area of the strip 12, and the system includes a second bracket 8' (Figs. 2 and 3) attached to the other end area of the strip 12. There is positioned in the space between the brackets 8 and 8' an elongated primary 15 (Fig. 1) of a linear motor, which preferably is a permanent magnet flat linear synchronous motor (PM-FLSM). Under the rail or in the flat plate 3 (FIG. 1) a magnetic way 16 is mounted which has at least approximately the same length as the required door travel. Such magnetic way 16 may be a magnetic track using magnets 16a, which may be rare earth permanent magnets, such as neodymium-iron-boron (NdFeB), cobalt, samarium or cheap hard permanent ferrite magnets disposed with alternating magnetic polarities. As shown in Fig. 1, the flat plate 3 has recesses 17 for receiving the magnet assemblies 16a of the magnetic way 16.